

# Relay State Forest

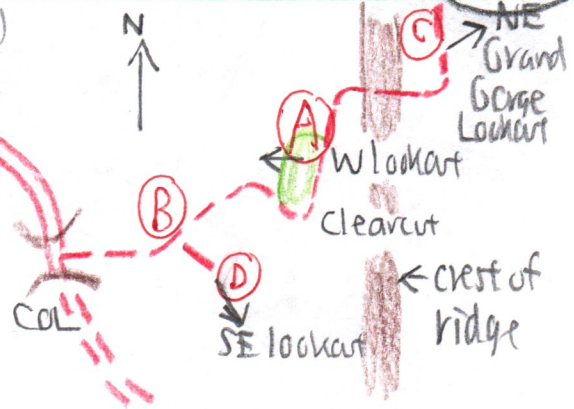
10/16/07 with Eric Rosen  
+ John Langan (411-33)

Near top of ridge, at (A), YB seed source is more abundant  
↳ YB <sup>dominating</sup> pioneers the opening.  
Some BC + MO pioneering in the opening.

Below, YB seed source is less abundant + openings are pioneered by RA, RS, DP + Pctli, around (B)

There is some SUB along ridge crest, maybe 25%, at (C) plus \$INT + \$CAMPL + OX.

Nesbitt Cemetery (see over)  
↓  
Relay Road



YB

SUB  
\$

## Photos

- ① & ② down W. Settlement Valley from (D)
- ③ & ④ down Rose Brook Valley from (A)
- ⑤ YB regeneration at (A)

View panoramas on back →

\$ The two \$ spp vary in shade tolerance, \$INT more so. 50' crowns on ridge at (C). Saplings + sprouts date the logging ca. 2000.

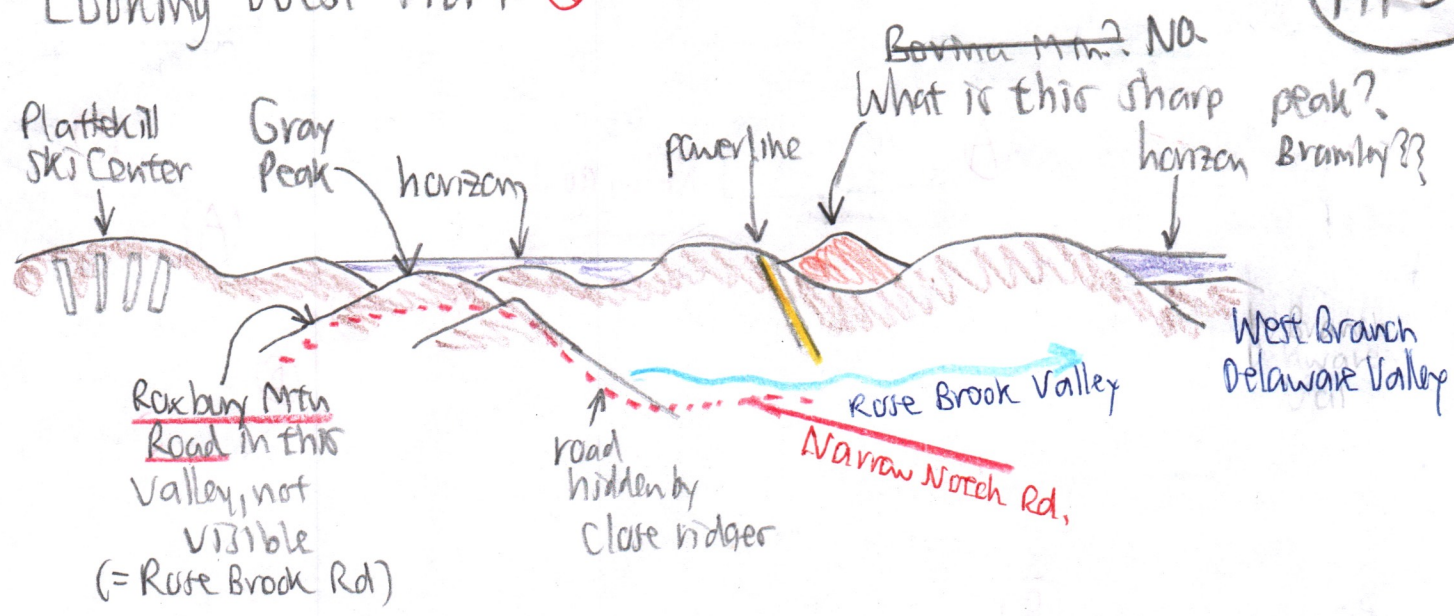
\$CAMPL turns brown + crops up first in canopy gaps, those in some shade stay green longer.

PCTLI PCTLI climbs up RA!

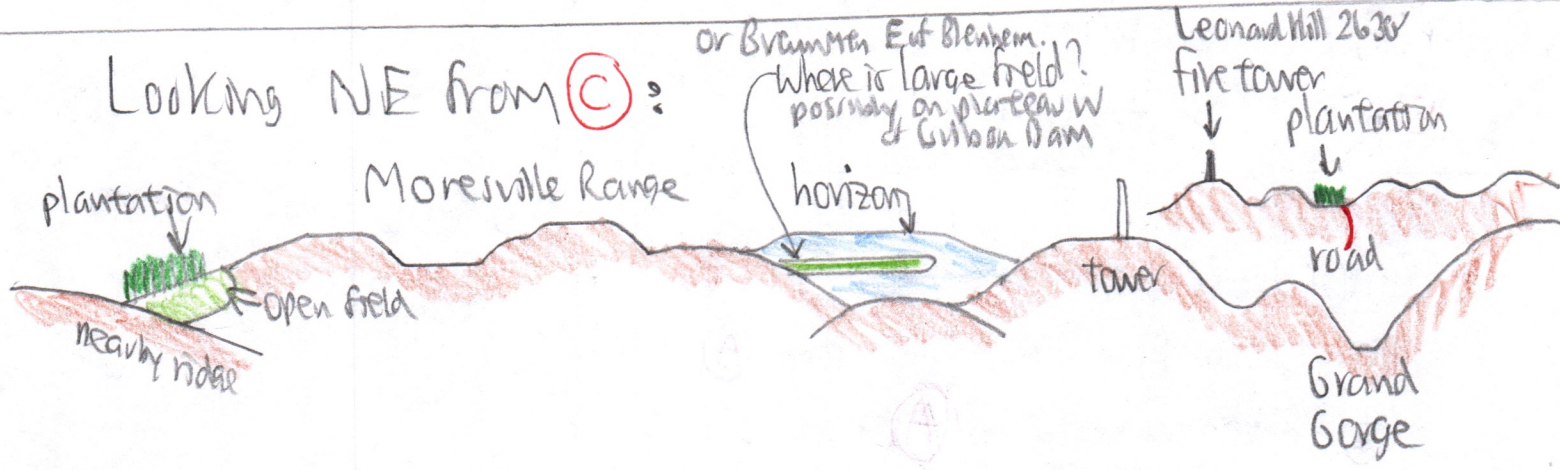
YB YB's can grow 2 to 2 1/2 ft/year in the open. Allow for this in estimating ages of trees from ring counts of fallen broken limbs high up. ✓ recovered  
↑ which originated.

BC BC sprouts 12' tall and 5 or 6 y old. Allow for rapid height growth in BC, too. ✓ recovered

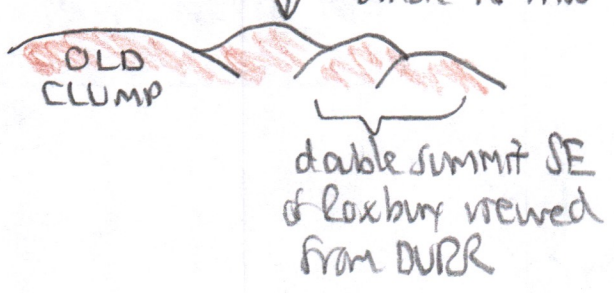
Looking west from (A):



Looking NE from (C):



Look ESE from (D):



Settlement from Newbitt Cemetery stones.  
 Earliest date is 1828,  
 1835, 1838.

To locate Jay Gould homestead,  
 Eric drove 30 seconds at  
 40 MPH SE from junc. West  
 Settlement + Burrador Roads  
 = 0.33 mile  
 = 0.67 x 0.5 mile